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SUBJECT: NATO SUMMIT: PERMREP LUNCH DISCUSSION MAY 3

1. THIS MESSAGE REPORTS DISCUSSION AT MAY 3 PERMREP LUNCH
ON THE MAY 10-11 NATO MINISTERIAL. OTHER ASPECTS OF THAT
LUNCH REPORTED SEPTEL.

2. SYG LUNS, SUPPORTED BY THE AMBASSADOR, NOTED THE
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IMPORTANCE OF CONCLUDING THE FINAL NAC SESSION ON MAY 11 BY
NOON, AS HE HAD TOLD US HE WOULD DO (PARA 1 USNATO 2609 AND
STATE 97002). PERMREPS AGREED ON THE DESIRABILITY OF CON-
CLUDING BY NOON, ALTHOUGH SEVERAL EXPRESSED DOUBT IT WOULD
BE POSSIBLE. PERMREPS, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION, ALSO
AGREED, IN ORDER TO FACILITATE ENDING THE MEETING AT NOON,
TO BEGIN THE MAY 11 SESSION AT 9:30 A.M. (ACTION REQUESTED:

CONFIRMATION OF ACCEPTABILITY OF 9:30 A.M. STARTING TIME.)

3. PERMREPS CONFIRMED AGREEMENT TO BEGIN THE MAY 10 SESSION AT 10:00 A.M., WITH HEADS OF DELEGATION ARRIVING BY THAT TIME, AND FOREIGN MINISTERS, PERMREPS AND OTHERS, IF POSSIBLE, BEING SEATED BY 9:40. PERMREPS AGREED ON THE IMPORTANCE OF ALL HEADS OF DELEGATIONS HOLDING THEIR STATEMENTS TO NO MORE THAN 12 MINUTES AND COMPLETING LIST BY CLOSE OF THE MAY 10 SESSION. IN A PRIVATE CONVERSATION WITH THE AMBASSADOR, LUNS SAID HE PLANNED TO CALL ON THE PRESIDENT TO SPEAK FIRST.

4. PAULS (FRG) SAID THAT IN BONN MAY 2 THE PROPOSAL HAD BEEN MADE THAT DEFENSE MINISTERS TAKE PART IN THE SUMMIT (THIS APPEARED TO BE A PERSONAL INTEREST OF MINISTER LEBER). LUNS SAID THAT IT WAS RATHER LATE FOR SUCH A PROPOSAL BUT NOTED THAT EVERY COUNTRY HAD THE RIGHT TO NAME ITS DELEGATION TO THE SUMMIT. DEFENSE MINISTERS, HE SAID, SHOULD NOT TAKE THE FLOOR, HOWEVER, IN VIEW OF THE CAREFULLY BUDGETED TIME. KILLICK (UK) AND DE FREITAS CRUZ (PORTUGAL) REACTED NEGATIVELY TO PAULS' SUGGESTION, AND PAULS WITHDREW THE SUGGESTION.

5. PERMREPS CONFIRMED THE AIM OF APPROVING THE COMMUNIQUE ON MAY 10, AND ISSUING IT ON MAY 11.

6. FINALLY, KILLICK STRESSED THAT MANY MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL FAMILY WOULD ATTEND QUEEN'S DINNER MAY 10.
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